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Senate Resolution 1435

By: Senator Butler of the 55th

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Supreme Fish Delight and its president and CEO, Mr.
- 2 Lawrence Shamsid-Deen; and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, Supreme Fish Delight began its tradition of delicious food in March of 1980 on
- 4 Auburn Avenue in Atlanta; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Mr. Lawrence Shamsid-Deen, president and CEO of Supreme Fish Delight, has
- 6 dedicated over 30 years to building a legacy in the restaurant industry based on providing
- 7 customers with great food and excellent customer service; and
- 8 WHEREAS, a native of Orange, Virginia, Mr. Shamsid-Deen is the beloved son of Lawrence
- 9 Dade II and Mary Susie Dade; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Mr. Shamsid-Deen began franchising Supreme Fish Delight in 1990, and the
- chain currently has 16 locations in the Atlanta metropolitan area in Atlanta, College Park,
- 12 Decatur, East Point, Ellenwood, Lithonia, Riverdale, Stone Mountain, and Union City; and
- 13 WHEREAS, Supreme Fish Delight has two locations in New York and, of the franchise's 18
- 14 total locations, three are corporate owned and provide jobs for over 180 employees; and
- 15 WHEREAS, through Supreme Fish Delight, Mr. Shamsid-Deen has championed numerous
- 16 business and community efforts, including supporting many nonprofit and faith based
- organizations and providing scholarships to young students aspiring to major in business; and
- 18 WHEREAS, a resident of DeKalb County, Mr. Shamsid-Deen is united in love and marriage
- 19 to his supportive wife Edith and has been blessed with six remarkable children; and

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20 WHEREAS, for the past three decades, Supreme Fish Delight has been providing

- 21 scrumptious meals and has served as a tradition of excellence in food that is worthy of
- 22 recognition.
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
- 24 recognize Supreme Fish Delight and its president and CEO, Mr. Lawrence Shamsid-Deen,
- 25 for providing countless customers with delicious food and superior customer service for the
- past 30 years.
- 27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 28 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to president and CEO of Supreme Fish
- 29 Delight, Mr. Lawrence Shamsid-Deen.